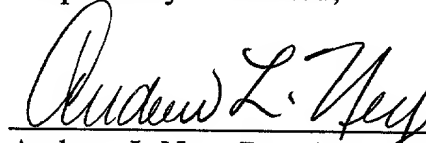


- 1 17. (Newly Added) An image signal reproduction apparatus
2 according to claim 10, wherein the determination flag includes at least two
3 pieces of image information of an aspect ratio of 4:3, an aspect ratio of 16:9,
4 and 16:9 image information in a screen having an aspect of 4:3.

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1 6. (Amended) An image signal reproduction apparatus
2 according to [any one of claims 4 and 5] claim 4, wherein the filtering section
3 differentiates frequency characteristics between the first and second image
4 signals.

1 7. (Amended) An image signal reproduction apparatus
2 according to [any one of claims 4 to 6] claim 4, wherein the frequency
3 characteristic can be changed by a setting made by the user.

1 11. (Amended) An image signal reproduction apparatus
2 according to [any one of claims 8 to 10] claim 8, wherein the determination flag
3 includes at least two pieces of image information of an aspect ratio of 4:3, an
4 aspect ratio of 16:9, and 16:9 image information in a screen having an aspect
5 ratio of 4:3.

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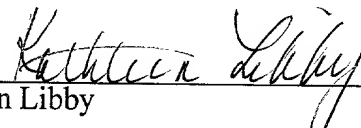
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